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DEATHS

Baldwin—October 25th, at Lethbridge, Alberta, Julia Mitchell, beloved wife of Wm. Baldwin, of Kirkcaldy, funeral services Vulcan United Church, Thursday, October 27th. Arrangements in charge of Martin Bros., funeral directors, Lethbridge. The Rev. Mr. Brunton officiating.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Hotel Royal, near C. P. R. station, on main street, Vulcan, Rates 50c., 75c., \$1.
Rev. J. W. Jenkins will preach next Sunday at Kirkcaldy, service starting at twelve o'clock, and at the Odd Fellows' hall at Vulcan in the evening at 7:30.

Mayor W. E. Butchart has been named as the Vulcan representative to attend a meeting of the Alberta Football Association, to be held in Lethbridge, commencing on Saturday.

The Boys' Conclave, attended by live lads from all over the surrounding territory, concluded at Vulcan last night. It was a most interesting event, of which a more extended report will appear in this paper later.

The arrangements have been made for a Heinz catnip demonstration at the F. L. Simington store, in connection with which a five-dollar gold-piece and other prizes will be given in a guessing contest. Altogether this will be an interesting event, more details of which will be given in due time.

Little June Thomas is now and will be for some time a patient in a hospital in Vulcan. The young miss, who is but four years old, is suffering from a broken hip and lesser injuries. She is the child Mrs. Thomas, employed as housekeeper on the ranch premises of Mr. B. Munson, June ran down to the barn on Wednesday to gather eggs. Her delayed return led to an investigation by the mother, who made the horrifying discovery that a large barn door had blown down and the little girl was underneath. Only the strength furnished by the excitement of the circumstance permitted the rescue of the daughter by the frantic mother. It is calculated that the little girl was in this precarious position for the greater part of half an hour, and the wonder is that the result was not more serious.

Through the courtesy of the management, The Advocate man has been permitted the pleasure of an inspection of the local business premises of the Regal Oil and Refining Company. The trip to and from the plant was made with Mr. Smith in the fine new auto-delivery truck now in the service of the firm, and is also a reminder of the many things made in the distribution of Regal Crystal, fast becoming a favorite gasoline and known as the product of the crude coming from Vulcan No. 1. The plant consists of bulk storage tanks, warehouse, and office building, and the warehouse is equipped with the latest and best devices for the rapid and accurate handling of the gas and lines of oil carried, and the power required is furnished by an electric motor. The plant is a neat and complete outfit. Interest attaches to this business in a special manner because of the fact that it is generally considered a home-town institution, in that stockholders in the Vulcan Oils have an investment in the refining firm. The development of trade here has been beyond expectations. The local pumps handling Regal will be painted in alternate rings of blue and white.

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Mr. H. W. Baldwin wishes to express his sincere gratitude and appreciation to the many kind friends and neighbors who so faithfully stood by him in his late bereavement and sorrow.

AN APPRECIATION

Mrs. Kenneth McLean wishes to thank her friends for the many courtesies extended, such as phone and personal calls, flowers, fruit, etc., during her illness.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Two erstwhile office boys head General Steel Wares, Ltd., which is a merger of three Canadian companies in the sheet metal business.

Hon. R. B. Bennett was the guest of honor at an Edmonton reception where throngs of people turned out to accord honors to the Conservative leader.

The annual convention of the Alberta Wheat Pool has been called for Wednesday, November 23rd, in the Sunroom of the Palliser hotel, Calgary.

The case of Provincial Treasury vs. Hon. George Smith, former minister of education, is now going on and there promises to be interesting revelations before the case is completed.

Ben Baxter, of the Auditorium hotel staff, Nanton, was taken seriously ill Sunday, October 23, and was rushed to the High River hospital for an operation for ulcer of the stomach. The report is that he has been resting easy, and has a chance for recovery.

Better bags of partridges are now being reported, as the grain fields are being freed of activities. More and larger flocks are being noticed and the birds are in prime condition. Large flocks of geese are passing over this locality at present on their southern flight.

The street entrance to the grill at the Imperial hotel is now designated by a blinking electric sign, one that is just the kind as an advertisement and of the style that if adopted generally by the business places would help to give a New York appearance to our Broadway. A little more illumination to our main street would help a lot.

Two or three slickers struck town last week and succeeded in doing a number of Chinese restaurant men out of several dollars. They used the short-change method, tendering big bills in payment for small purchases and by smooth manipulation confused the clerks and made a considerable profit on the transaction, a fact that was not discovered until the check-up at night.

Out on the road near Brant, on Thursday night, there was an auto in the ditch, just the kind as an advertisement and of the style that if adopted generally by the business places would help to give a New York appearance to our Broadway. A little more illumination to our main street would help a lot.

Posters give details of the boxing card which is being promoted under auspices of the Canadian Legion, and truly it can be said that this is the best show of the kind ever put on in Vulcan or district. In the main bout of ten rounds, Basil Daines, welterweight champion of Western Canada and holder of the Buxton Belt, will defend both against the formidable challenger, Joe Murphy. The reputation of these men eliminates any necessity for further comment. Certainly local color will be given to the event by the meeting of Billy Trevenon and Earl Altizer, whose respective merits have for long been the subject of comparative discussion, and now this match will make opportunity for real speculation. Then there will be preliminaries between a number of other local but artists. All the arrangements will have careful attention and a night of good sport is assured. The officials will include Claire Kimball as referee and Mayor W. E. Butchart as timekeeper.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Born, at the hospital in Vulcan on October 29th, 1927, to Mr. and Mrs. George Hutton, of Vulcan, a daughter.

Thanksgiving services will be held in the United Church next Sunday, Morning at 11. "Our debt of gratitude," and evening at 7:30. "The story of a successful farmer." Everybody welcome.

Mr. J. W. Randall has resigned his position in the Bank of Commerce and will join the office staff at the A. L. Burrows' garage. He has been succeeded on the bank staff by Mr. A. C. Marnock, who comes here from Innisfail.

Miss Marion Miles, who has been in special nursing service in Vulcan for some time, was a caller at The Advocate on Tuesday and brought a beam of brightness and the memory of old times when she and two of our staff were in the printing office together at High River.

The doll in the Discher store window is the prize that will be won in a drawing at the Catholic Women's League bazaar, to be held in the basement of the church on November 19th. There will be booths for the sale of many things and a place to buy all kinds of candies.

The result of the professional examinations, conducted by the University of Alberta in September, 1927, have been announced. In the list of passed in the registered nurses examinations appears the name of Miss Kathleen Holmes, daughter of Mr. Norman Holmes, Vulcan is now the home of Miss Holmes and to her will go the congratulations of our people.

Forty High River boys and leaders, members of the Taxis and Trail Runners groups, left for Vulcan via auto on Wednesday evening to attend the Annual Conference arranged by the High River District Boys' Work Board, which will be in session there for two days beginning on the evening of the 2nd inst.

Another burst of activity in oil lease filing has occurred at Lethbridge with the Manyberries district as the magnet. It is announced that the Imperial Oil Limited has entered into an agreement with the Deyenish company to develop the latter's holdings near Skiff, where Deyenish No. 1 well encountered crude oil.

A recent summary of the dairy industry in Western Canada shows that the province of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba now account for nearly 30 per cent. of the butter output of the Dominion, while only recently they did not provide enough even for their own requirements. They now export largely to Great Britain and the Orient.

Ottawa will soon have its first aeroplane club, forming one of a chain from coast to coast under the Air League of Canada, of which Major General J. H. MacBrien, formerly chief of staff of the Department of National Defence, is temporary head. During the General's absence from the city Captain John Mulvey, of Ottawa, former air force pilot, is going ahead with arrangements.

The London office of the Alberta government, opened experimentally in the early part of the year, will be continued, the government having decided that permanent representation at the heart of the empire is desirable. Hon. Herbert Greenfield, who opened the office has been offered the post of London agent and has accepted it, continuing the work on which he is at present engaged.

The two new Canadian Pacific passenger ships, "Duchess of Athol" and "Duchess of Bedford" now being built for the St. Lawrence route (Liverpool to Montreal), will be two of the finest vessels afloat, according to plans and specifications. Their gross tonnage will register 20,000. They will be twin screw with geared turbine engine. They will have a length of 596 feet, a breadth of 75 feet and a speed of 17½ knots. Both ships will have accommodations for 572 cabin, 180 tourist third class and 508 third class passengers.

It has now been definitely decided by the authorities in the matter that the vote on the municipal hospital proposition will be taken on December 8th. The campaign for the dissemination of information in connection with the project will be started at an early date and it is understood that literature will be distributed and public meetings held, and every thing done to provide every detail of the law and manner of organization, such as establishment and maintenance of such an institution. The idea is to thoroughly inform the public and have the ratepayers vote as they may decide.

The Canadian edition of The Studebaker News, of recent issue, contains a splendidly distinct and large-size photo of the "Decorated Studebaker," the entry of the Pyramid Motors and winner of the first prize in the Confederation parade at Vulcan. The picture has a place of real prominence on the page of illustrations, being grouped with photos of the Prince of Wales, Governor-General Willingdon, and other notables. This appearance gives commendable publicity to Vulcan and affords The Advocate in this item to make mention once again to an exhibit which not only won the prize at Vulcan, but was of such excellence that it would have had a high place in any parade of the kind in the Dominion. These things give us a real pride in our community.



De Laval
Roy Walker
Vulcan
Phone 33

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Mr. G. McQueen made a business trip this week to Lethbridge.

Mrs. Marcelus, senior, and daughter, Miss Mary Marcelus, of Calgary, have been the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Marcelus, Vulcan.

Mr. R. F. Scanlon, contractor, who built the new school in Vulcan, was in town over the week end. Mr. Scanlon is building the new rink in Chapleholm, and was in Vulcan to finish on a contract here that is in prospect.

The drawing for a quilt took place at the Vulcan rest room on Saturday last, and Mrs. Rench held the lucky ticket, No. 122. Proceeds from the draw will be used in payment of rest room expenses.

The pupils of the Vulcan school, recently had their pictures taken in groups of grades by an itinerant photographer. Our boys and girls will make subjects as good for photos as can be assembled anywhere.

The guest list of the reception tendered to Hon. R. B. Bennett at Calgary by members of the Maritime Association, included the name of Mr. A. G. Dickinson, of Vulcan who accompanied Mr. L. H. Stuck in this notable event.

The city of Calgary was presented with a model of the White Star liner Calgarie, by officers of the steamship company at the city hall on Saturday day. Leo Tobin, general passenger superintendent of the company, made the presentation.

Mr. H. M. Sorensen, in sending a subscription check to The Advocate, expresses the hope that we are having fine weather in Alberta that they have had an exceptional lot of rain in and around Savanna, Ill., this fall.

Mr. "Bill" Oliver, staff photographer of the Calgary Herald, was in town on Monday, his business being to secure some views of Vulcan, which will in the near future appear to the advantage of Vulcan and to the satisfaction of our citizens. Among them will be the elevators, schools, residential sections and others.

The building at the extreme end of the main street, south from the depot, has been purchased by Mr. Gordon Wharry. It has already been considerably improved and is owned by the family, and a portion of space will be fitted as a sales depot for Langleigh preparations, a line handled by Mr. Wharry.

The local newspaper continues to maintain its own. It ever will, it deserves to. Says The Fourth Estate, "While local merchants contribute much to success of a local newspaper, the newspaper gives more to them than it gets from them, but the best community betterment comes from the happy combinations of mutual welfare."

Mr. D. F. Kelly, Chicago department store president, in a recent address before the convention of the National Electric Light Association, stated: "Without appearing to hold a brief for the newspapers, we are of the opinion that, dollar for dollar, our return from newspaper advertising is much greater than from any other form of advertising."

Fire prevention work was duly observed in the Vulcan schools. Pupils in the higher grades were addressed by Mr. Butchart, chairman of the school board, and essays in competition have been submitted by many pupils. These essays have been submitted for examination to Fire Chief Smart, of Calgary, who has expressed in a letter his willingness to contribute to his part to the annual practice established at Vulcan, which he values as an effective plan in the scheme of fire prevention.

Mr. Ole Nelson, well known in these parts, is dead, his passing being the result of an accident, which happened last Thursday in the vicinity of Queensdown. He was operating a threshing outfit, and was backing the engine to the separator, and while making a coupling a clutch slipped and he was jammed between the machines. Though injured and suffering, he set and lined up the outfit before going to the house. He was later overcome by internal injuries, which finally caused his demise on Saturday. Deceased leaves a wife and family of eight children. The family suffered the loss by death this summer of a grown-up boy.

This paper has information from officials of the construction company that a service line from the main transmission lines of the Calgary Power Company will be run from Vulcan as far east as the farm premises of Hon. O. L. McPherson, serving the farms and homes along the route. When this is completed and the work will be undertaken at once—there will have been more than thirty-five miles of farm service lines built from the main lines in the territory between Blackie and Vulcan.

There will also be a correction made in voltage to improve the light service at Vulcan and elsewhere. The extensions made by this company this season have indeed been wonderful.

Visitors to Vulcan this week included Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lyman, of Northfield, Minn., who were for a day or two guests at the home of their niece, Mrs. E. L. Parsons. The Advocate man and Mrs. Nelson made the acquaintance of these visitors from across the line while on the way back from Winnipeg, and were delighted to receive them at Vulcan. It was their first visit to Vulcan, and Mr. Lyman was amazed at the crops and recalled that this was the town which had been made famous by the "big team" some years ago, pictures of which he had then received from his nephew, Messrs. Lyman brothers, who until a few months ago, were residents here. Mr. Lyman takes back home with him a message of the greatness of the district in the form of a few copies of The Advocate containing the recent large picture of the wheat fields and the string of eight elevators.

LOCAL NEWS ITEMS

Teacher: "What do we learn from the story of Samson?" Tommy (with unpleasant results still showing): "That it doesn't pay to have women cut a fellow's hair."

An event that can be anticipated with interest and pleasure is the annual bazaar and sale of cookies on November 29th, under the auspices of the ladies of the United Church.

Vulcan was represented by Mr. J. Shaw and Mrs. A. Mitchell at the bazaar, convention of the Catholic Women's League, held last week at Lethbridge, and attended by some sixty or more delegates.

The foundation has been laid for the construction of another house by Contractor Lambert, which will be the fourth erected for rent by him this season. He will then have a string of nine or ten, all occupied, and the demand for houses not yet satisfied.

Mr. Wm. Butchart, and his colleagues, Mr. Lewis Pozzi, of Blairmore, took train to Vulcan on Monday night on their return to the Technical School at Calgary. Mr. Butchart was a place of distinction in the school during the last term, mention of which was made at the time in these columns.

Mrs. Reynolds is the guest of Miss Rhinehart at the hospital in Vulcan, the result of an accident which happened just after noon on Wednesday. The steps on a cook car collapsed as she was going down, and a severe injury was inflicted on one leg that is heretofore given the unfortunate lady considerable trouble.

The report is that some hundreds of lads have been picked in Chicago as the result of halibutmen picking. We know a town a long way from that city wherein there are perhaps a number of fellows bigger than beer, who serve to be jerked up for some operations which are quite appropriate along the lines. Fun is fun, but constructive practices do not go very well with those who suffer the annoyance and expense.

Everywhere there is a growing understanding among business men that the newspaper is a public utility, and at the same time a community asset. The newspaper serves the community more than a man who publishes it. The time is coming when every business man will feel a personal interest in the newspaper's welfare. The fact has been shown that a community cannot make progress without it. It can exist, but it cannot grow—Commercial Review.

Contractor Campbell and a large crew of workmen are making rapid headway on the re-construction of the curling rink and by the time this item is read locally the rink will be taking on real shape. There will be some improvement on the old building, and the roofing on the skating rink up to the hip will be of hingle. It has not yet been decided as to the proposed increase of seating accommodation and other improvements to the skating rink, but the idea of such changes would seem to be generally endorsed.

Vulcan girls, in a game of basketball with the High River girls, on Saturday, retrieved their loss to the same team on the Saturday previous. The game took place on the Vulcan school grounds, and the local squad, the scoring and we never overtake the final count being twelve to seven. Vulcan was clearly superior in this game, but there certainly was sufficient opposition to make a right smart contest, and the bunch of operators had their reward in a class entertainment. Players on the Vulcan team were Kitty Parry, Jessie Packwood, Lillie Thompson, Norma Van-Kiver, Isabel Flood and Laverne Vaughan.

One of the busiest men in Vulcan these days, is Stationmaster Craig, and his exceptional activity is occasioned by the effort to secure cars sufficient to take care of the wheat delivery to Vulcan, which has been running for some time at about fifty thousand bushels per day. Though the elevators have at times been filled—and there are eight of them now—there has not yet been a complete blockade, but to accomplish this wagon and truck drivers have occasionally been advised to ease up a little on delivery. There remains quite a considerable amount of threshing to do, and in deed there are yet a number of fields of grain to be cut. The estimate is that there will be a delivery of more than two million bushels of wheat at Vulcan.

The first meeting of the High School Literary Society held in the opera house last Friday was a decided success. Herbert Lundy presided, and handled affairs in a capable manner, loyally supported by the members. The programme committee is to be warmly congratulated on the splendid programme presented, ably aided by the players by member. Taking part in the presentations, Ralph Featherstone and Russell Collier clearly set forth the condition under which the early pioneers labored. William Walker and Harry Ferguson gave excellent talks on the lives of great men, and Mavis Runk interested the audience with her talk on wild flowers. Excellent readings were given by Verma Warden, Eunice McIntyre and Leta Roe. The audience was especially appreciative of the humorous reading delivered in real style by Bern Fox. The school paper had many good jokes on everybody. The programme was excellent and it is hoped that of this form of entertainment is expected. Mr. McIntyre gave a special in which he congratulated the pupils on their fine showings. The school then indulged in group singing, and afterwards the meeting broke up. Staff and students are unanimous in praise of the delightful programme, and with the abundance of talent displayed, are eagerly looking forward to future meetings. There is a strong possibility that for further meetings, an optical lantern for illustrated talks will be available. A movement is on foot to procure one at an early date.

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NOVEMBER

No shade, no shine, no butterflies,
no bees,
No fruit, no flowers, no leaves,
no birds—
November.

—Thomas Hood

The whimsical poet tells the truth about November in these clever lines, but not all the truth. He perceives the motif of the month and straightway proceeds to exaggerate the same—a privilege which belongs to all poets, and is assumed by some who are not. Every month of the twelve has its characteristics and November an individuality quite its own. The vivid and varied color scheme of mid autumn gives place to a study in gray monotony. The trees are leafless and they stand sharply silhouetted against skies that are leaden and bleak. The wind rustles amidst the fallen leaves as if searching for something it has lost, and the fitful gusts scatter promiscuously the leafy heaps of brown and buff. There are hints not vague, but broad, that winter is near at hand and snow may fall any day. There is a sombre charm in November days and nights. The air is often crisp and invites the pedestrian to fill his lungs to their peak with deep breaths and pure. The landscape is alluring, even in its unadorned effect. Rarely there is a sunset of such weird beauty as would have moved John Ruskin to exclaim "It was well worth seeing." The twilight comes early and deepens quickly into night. The constellations keep pace with the calendar, and shortly after supper mighty Orion makes his appearance and begins his triumphant march across the heavens. The insignia of November is the folder shock, the pumpkin and the turkey gobbler strutting to his doom. History and romance meet and mingle in this month, mellow with the memories of those days when Canada was young. It is easy now to see things at night. In the frosty twilight the rows of serried corn-shocks resemble a village of Indian tipis and in fancy one sees the shadowy forms of warriors, their women and the children moving to and fro beneath the light of a harvest moon. The time of the trying of doughnuts has come, the making of mincemeat and the baking of pies; the cranberry sauce blushes furiously for they are grinding knives in anticipation of Thanksgiving dinner "out at old Aunt Mary's."

COMMUNITY PROGRESS

While Vulcan has much to boast of as it considers past achievements, it would be sheer folly at this stage of its community development to rest content with past laurels and cease striving for further advancement. Vulcan's present high standing among centres of equal population has been won by foresight and aggressive policies in the past. This generation should be just as eager to assure an enviable future for the community as were those men of former generations who often fought a stiff, uphill fight to gain those things upon which the town's present prestige rests. Never before in such good position to go forward in rapid and substantial development as right now. It has all its pristine attractions plus many of relatively recent acquisition. But to do the things that must be done if the community is to progress along desirable lines of commercial, industrial and residential expansion and betterment, there must be no diminution of that spirit of co-operation and willing effort on the part of a considerable number of citizens which has been manifested in all its past accomplishments. And just as men and women of vision and civic consciousness have always been available in the past, so will they come to the service of the community in future hours of need.

Los Angeles' Judge suggests five-year marriage with option of renewal. If marriage held for five years some Hollywood stars would not marry in haste.

It took the garter more than nineteen centuries to win a place in the sun.—Toronto Star.

WOMAN FRANCHISE

A deputation of ladies from Quebec waited upon Premier King, asking him to see that they are given the franchise provincially. Mr. King told them very properly that it was none of his business and that if he made it his business he would very soon hear from the government of that province. Quebec has not yet experimented with woman suffrage, but there is a body of suffragettes there determined to carry on an agitation to compel the Legislature to grant it. They showed little political knowledge and little political acumen when they asked the federal government to interfere in what is a purely provincial affair. Premier Taschereau might meet the suffragettes with a counter proposal offering them a plebiscite in which only women could vote on the question "Are you in favor of votes for women?" It would be a safe guess that not ten per cent. of the women would go to the trouble of voting.

ANOTHER BLOW

Retail Merchants' Association has aimed another blow at the mail order house which many a town and village merchant hopes will be successful. In a letter to the Honourable G. Howard Ferguson, Premier of Ontario, the Association asks that the taxing of mail order business be brought up at the Conference of Provincial Premiers at Ottawa on November 9th. "During the past few years," says the letter, "a system of merchandising has been developed in Canada which has a tendency to centralize business in the larger centres, known as the sale by mail order. This system has been developed in order to eliminate the operating costs in the various communities with the result that in many districts merchants have been forced to discontinue their business with a corresponding loss of service and investment to that community in which they are located. The firms who are conducting a mail order business employ large amounts of capital and are out to declare dividends for their shareholders which are used in places other than those from which the money is first obtained. There can be no doubt that mail order competition is having a very detrimental effect not only to the community life of the rural districts but to general business conditions throughout the country."

A middle-aged man is one who has quit growing on either end, but continues to grow in the middle.—Niagara Falls Review.

REVISING HISTORY

Mayor Bill Thompson, of Chicago, is busily engaged in revising history. Having defeated King George the Fifth, in the contest for the mayoralty of Chicago, he feels free to reap the fruits of his victory by deposing officials whom he suspected of being too friendly to his enemy, and by purging Chicago school books of what he considers, pro-British stuff, and making them 125% American. He has taught King George to mind his own business and refrain from interfering in the municipal affairs of the Windy City with the windy Mayor. He asks mayors of other cities to join him in his crusade. We should think Chicago would back him up in his undertaking. The time is coming when Chicago will be glad to revise its own history. It will not care to teach the children of a coming generation that there was once a man named Thompson who won the mayoralty of Chicago by promising to make King George "keep his snout out of Chicago's municipal affairs."

OIL RIGHTS HELD BY CROWN

By a unanimous decision of the appellate division of the supreme court of Alberta, it is held that the ownership of the oil and gas rights on Alberta lands which have been reserved to the crown by orders-in-council passed by the Dominion government, are still vested in the crown and did not pass to patentees of homesteads. This decision is the result of two appeals from judgments by Mr. Justice Walsh, who held that these orders-in-council were within the powers of the governor-general-in-council.

"We are looking for fresh, alert young men," says an advertiser. Well most of the young men one encounters are certainly fresh enough.

An optimist is a man who reaches for his hat when the speaker says "just one word more."

Chicago has those English books to burn merely because Chicago itself was burned in 1871.

A TRIBUTE TO WEEKLY PAPERS

"I believe in the country weekly. I believe that no printed matter in Canada is more thoroughly read, or has more influence than the pages of these home town papers." Such is the wonderful tribute paid by R. S. McLaughlin, President of the General Motors of Canada, Limited, Oshawa, in a letter just received by the editor announcing the inauguration of a new publicity and educational campaign in the form of institutional advertisements which it is planned to publish this winter with the idea of telling the story of General Motors of Canada to many thousands of people who do not now realize the importance to Canada of this great Canadian institution which is so close to Whitley, and from which this town derives great benefit. Mr. McLaughlin points out that in past campaigns only daily newspapers have been used, but now, for the first time, he says, "we are going into the country weeklies, spending on this trial campaign many thousands of dollars." Many a country paper in Canada will rejoice that a man of the standing of Mr. McLaughlin has been led to pay such tribute to the papers which week after week, as pointed out in these columns in our last issue, carry their own messages to thousands of readers, and fill a place in many a home which can never be attained by a daily publication. We believe that the new education campaign of advertising will bring very gratifying and even surprising results to the General Motors.—Whitley Chronicle.

YOUR TOWN AND YOU

Editor George B. VanBlaricom, of the Canadian Lumberman, and a news paper man with a wide experience, said a lot of good things in an address at Walkerton before the Welfare Association. He was talking on "Your Town and You" which leaves Editor Pense, of the Telescope, to ask Are we doing our part? and to say that the speaker's remarks were straight from the shoulder and, doubtless, touched sensitive spots in the mental construction of several present. They fitted in very completely with some in every community. The "harping critics," the "24 citizen," who permit personal animosities to interfere with their participation in movements for the general welfare of the place, came in for rather pointed attention. Those who lose sight of the merit of anything which would contribute toward improvement, because of their narrow, selfish, bigoted outlook, were urged to sink differences for the common good.

NO WONDER

A man was one day visiting a lunatic asylum and while walking in the grounds he met a patient to whom he said: "Well, how did you get here?" The man replied: "Well, sir, you see I married a widow with a grown-up daughter, and then my father married my wife's daughter, that made my wife the mother-in-law of her father-in-law, and my father became my step-son. Then my step-mother, the daughter of my wife, had a son, and that boy, of course, was my brother, because he was my father's son; but he also was my wife's step-son, and therefore, her grand-son, and that made me the grandfather of my step-brother. Then my wife had a son, so my mother-in-law, the step-sister of my son, is also his grandmother, because his step-sister is his wife. I am the brother of my own son, who is also the son of my step-grandmother. I am my mother's brother-in-law, my wife is her own child's aunt, my son is my father's nephew, and I am my own grandfather. That's one reason I am here, sir."—Answers.

TWO NEW FORDS

Harry Tobin, local Ford agent, states that two new Ford models have arrived at Decorah, Iowa, and are arousing considerable interest. Mr. Tobin's brother-in-law, who is a resident of Decorah, has sent the following newspaper clipping taken from a recent Decorah paper: "Considerable interest was aroused here by the arrival of two new Fords. While not ready for exhibition purposes, the Fords have been observed by several and much approval of their fitness and finish has been voiced. Their bodies are finely lined and graced with pleasing curves. Their color job is of a quality that shows richness and well being, and their lines in general are wholly fitting for the work desired of them. Probably not without reason the design follows that of former models, but there are individual differences. They are generally quiet but there is considerable sound under heavy stress or exertion. Their speed and durability have not yet been tested, but their fuel consumption, at least at the present time, is surprisingly low. While formed on the same general principles, there is much difference between the two models received here, which is not surprising when it is considered that one is a boy and the other a girl born to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Ford. The babies have not been named, but they and their mother are reported to be doing well."—Decorah Canadian

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Alberta as an ideal province for the growing of all varieties of vegetables and small fruits, particularly the central and northern sections, is extolled by a former Indianapolis truck gardener, G. E. Robertson, who came to Edmonton early last spring and settled down to truck gardening there, where he grew cantaloupes larger than any he had grown in the south and watermelons quite as large, as large, as well as vegetables, fruits, roots and corn.

Sawmills along the E.D. and B.C. Railway in northern Alberta are expected to turn out approximately 30,000,000 feet of lumber during the coming winter, it is estimated by Edmonton dealers. In addition, other mills in the section of the province north of Red Deer will cut over 100,000,000 feet. Operations it is stated, will commence early in November and this work will provide work for some 3,000 men and from 750 to 1,000 teams.

POULTRY ACCOUNTS

A poultry account is a year's record November 1st to October 31st, of the expenses incurred in operating a poultry yard and of the amounts received from the sale of its products. It includes an inventory at the beginning and end of the poultry year and should show when closed, the amount which the venture has paid the operator for his labor.

In 1915 an effort was made by the Poultry Division of the Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, to encourage poultry keepers to keep records and accounts. For this purpose special sheets called "Farm, Egg and Poultry Accounts," were prepared and forwarded to those requesting them. The venture proved so encouraging that to date farmers, small holders and numerous other classes from coast to coast are keeping records on the revised monthly forms supplied free by the Experimental Farm.

The keeping of such a monthly record does not interfere with any special or practical method of care or management. He may buy and sell whenever he sees fit, providing that a record is kept of the change in the flock. The egg yield is to be noted each day and credited at market prices, whether used in the house, incubator or sold. The various columns of the sheet are to be filled in at the time of the transactions. In this way the hens are given the credit they deserve. By filling a bin in the hen house with grain once a month and providing a good sized dry-mash hopper, the trouble of keeping account of the feed is reduced to a minimum.

As the summary of these records should furnish very valuable data, a duplicate copy is mailed to the Poultry Division promptly at the end of each month. In acknowledgement of this information, a monthly letter of hints stressing some subjects of importance is mailed to the correspondent. Should the report contain correspondence or questions this matter is immediately attended to. Only those who return the monthly reports receive the letters of suggestions.

All monthly records should be examined at the end of the year to note particularly from what item the greatest income has been derived, whether from market or hatching eggs, market poultry or breeding stock and to study the expenses with relation to the receipts. Such a record properly kept not only affords pleasure but is a guide for future operations. This, the poultry man who is able to answer the following questions is the man who watches every little detail and makes note of it, and only when such definite records have been kept, has any great advance in production or real progress been made:

What was the average production of your flock last year?

What is your annual poultry expense and income?

What does it cost to produce a dozen eggs?

What did it cost you to produce a laying pullet?

What are your plans for the coming year?

ITEMS OF INTEREST

Fall plowing of the garden will help cut down insect population in the garden next year. If you can't plow at least clean up all the old vines and dead vegetation and burn them.

Heavy purchases of stockers and feeders have been made at Edmonton and Calgary stock yards recently to be shipped down to the border district where it is said there is a lot of low grade grain and damaged crops and where the cattle will be fed and finished.

Roy S. Hamer, chief of the cattle division, Dominion livestock branch, Ottawa, chairman conducting an investigation into the proposal to grade beef, while at Calgary recently, had his hip fractured in an auto accident and is now resting quietly at the Calgary hospital.

A new normal school, the third provincial teacher-training institution in the province, is to be established in Edmonton in time for the opening of the 1928-29 term, announces Hon. Perron Baker, Minister of Education. Vacant rooms in some of the city schools will be utilized for the first year, pending the erection of a permanent building for this purpose.

"Several young men who attempted a hold-up robbery will spend from five to fifteen years in jail. An Ontario lawyer who robbed his clients will spend a few years in the reformatory. Yet a motorist who robbed a man of his life in a car accident is only sentenced to six months definite and fifteen months indeterminate in the reformatory. Little wonder the motor accidents continue."—The Citizen, Timmins.

Alberta will be represented at the interprovincial conference which opens in Ottawa next Thursday by Premier Brownlee, Hon. George Hoadley, Minister of Agriculture and Health; Hon. R. G. Reid, Provincial Treasurer and Minister of Municipal Affairs; J. C. Thompson, Provincial Auditor, and R. G. English of the Department of Municipal Affairs. Among the questions which will come up for consideration at the Ottawa meeting are the revision of federal subsidies to the provinces, a reconsideration of the fields of taxation as between the dominion and the provinces, the problem of railway development in the Peace River district, the renewal of federal aid in highway construction, the division of police administration in the province and a survey of transportation, marketing and storage problems. It is expected that with the wide variety of opinion which will be presented by those in attendance from all parts of the dominion, a solution for many of these important problems may be reached.

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There are manufacturing industries with fairly complete equipment which, because of lack of consideration, are idle much of the time. It must be patent to all that a busy plant can operate much more cheaply than one which is working only on part time. Therefore it should be the policy of all to place their business of whatever kind it may be kept reasonably busy and thus be in a position to give its best service.

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The Vulcan Advocate

A reader observes that the fire bill for Canada and the United States in the past 40 years reached over six billion dollars. Most of these fires, experts say, might have been avoided. This observer says that one way to reduce the fire hazard in the city would be to see to it that vacant lots are kept free from dry, inflammable weeds.

Several carloads of cattle and horses are being sent over the Canadian Pacific lines to the Toronto Royal Winter Fair. It was stated that in all there would be about 28 cars. Two of these cars will contain exhibits from the University of Alberta. One will be coming from High River, one from Daysland and another from Vauxhall.

CONQUEST OF CHINA

The following article has been submitted for publication by William Foo a Chinaman resident at High River. The article is interesting from a literary as well as an educational viewpoint and reflects credit on the author, who was a student in the Technical School of Toronto for four years:

China's introduction to western civilization occurred in the sixteenth century when Portuguese and Spanish conquistadors reached the eastern coast and entered several ports. Lading their ships with rich and exotic products of the far East, they returned to Europe and spread fabulous tales about the wonders of this tumion land. Soon the adventurers, some English, French and Dutch traders fitted out expeditions to engage in this new field of profitable commerce and from that moment China became an object of cupidity to the merchant princes of Europe.

For nearly three centuries, the only contact Europe or America had with China, was in a few ports where foreign vessels were allowed to enter and trade, but vast hinterland, reaching across China beyond the Great Wall and into Mongolia, Manchuria and Tibet, remained an impenetrable mystery. The Manchuria Emperor, who had ruled China since 1644 decreed that it should remain an isolated nation. Only Russia, whose eastern frontier in Siberia marched with western boundary of China, had treaty relations which were consummated in 1689.

The Christian fervor for proselytizing finally overcame obstacles to the penetration of China that had baffled the traders and in 1801 a protestant mission led by Robert Morrison, sent out by the London Missionary Society gained a foothold there and began to make converts to the Christian faith. By 1850 there were a dozen missions in China, including those of English and American Baptists and Presbyterians, and American and German and French Catholics. In the meantime political intervention in China by foreign governments had begun.

The British had introduced opium into China early in the nineteenth century. They exerted themselves to stimulate trade in the lethal drug in this vast populous country because it gave them an outlet for one of the principal products of India. In 1821, Emperor Toa Kwang, finding that the opium habit was becoming alarmingly prevalent in his own country, decreed that the first opium war between China and Great Britain in 1840-42. The English won and forced upon the Peking government the first concessionary treaties of 1844-45. England demanded as reparation, the cession of territory and harbor privileges, with extra territorial rights in Shanghai, Ningpo, Tientsin, and a ninety-nine year lease on the island of Hong Kong that dominated the entrance to the port of Canton through which all southern China was supplied.

Extra-territoriality means that the nationals of those countries that have such treaties with China are exempted from Chinese laws and customs and are treated as if they were living in the territory of their own country. opium habit was becoming alarmingly prevalent in his own country, decreed that the first opium war between China and Great Britain in 1840-42. The English won and forced upon the Peking government the first concessionary treaties of 1844-45. England demanded as reparation, the cession of territory and harbor privileges, with extra territorial rights in Shanghai, Ningpo, Tientsin, and a ninety-nine year lease on the island of Hong Kong that dominated the entrance to the port of Canton through which all southern China was supplied.

Since 1844 extra-territorial rights have been extended from 5 to 50 Chinese cities and 13 international settlements have been established, while in thirty six cities areas have been set aside exclusively for alien settlement. Moreover, during this period of about 80 years, the great powers, England, Russia, Japan, France and Germany, carved China up into "Spheres of influence" and each of those alien nations assumed to dominate the transportation, commerce, exploitation of natural resources and even the government in its particular sphere, so that the Peking government retained full control of actually less than one seventh of its vast empire.

The United States has extra-territorial rights in China, established by the treaty of 1844, and maintains a special branch of the United States court there with American judges presiding. In Shanghai and other international settlements three of its consuls and other diplomatic officials participate in the government of the international settlements, and American business in China enjoys the same immunities from Chinese law, taxes and regulation that other foreigners have. The United States, however, has never participated in the partition of China into spheres of influence, but on the contrary, the "Open Door" policy, enunciated by secretary of state, John Hay, has been urged by this government from 1899 when western of their aggressiveness against the European nations were at the height of their power, to the present time.



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BROCKLEBANK vs. McLAUGHLIN

Judgment has now been handed down by His Honor Judge McDonald in this action which was tried here on October 15th, 1927. The action was for damages to the Brocklebank sheep by McLaughlin's dogs in July 1926. The judgment directs payment by the defendant of \$600. This is the full sum for which suit was brought and the maximum of the District Court Jurisdiction. The defendant must also pay the plaintiff's costs of the action.

OIL NEWS

A good flow of oil was struck on Saturday at the Okato oil well at a depth of 4120 feet. There is 2000 feet of light green oil standing in the hole after 12 hours of constant bailing. The strike was made in the Kootenay formation.

The British Dominion is still drilling being down to a depth of 6006 feet.

Calmont oil well is down to a depth of 4175 feet, with eight inch casing. Production at the Illinois-Alberta oil well on October 26 amounted to for Wednesday 98.4, on Tuesday 104.2 barrels and on Monday 93 barrels. The former production registered from this well about three weeks ago was an average of about 84 barrels per day.

Illinois No. 2. Somewhat slow progress is being made at the Illinois-Alberta No. 2 well where drilling is in progress at 403 feet. The formation is said to be very hard.

Vulcan Oils, No. 1 was frozen up about three weeks, company preparing to try to fish out tools lost when well first blew in at depth of 5,004 feet. New 6,000-foot wire cable has been sent out to which 500 feet of rope will be attached on end carrying spear to fish for lost tools. The rope cable will be put on to avoid possibilities of kinking if gas comes back suddenly. Well was producing about 100 barrels per day of naphtha when freezing took place.

Vulcan No. 2 is down over 3,850 feet, drilling and bailing light 52 gravity oil at average about 50 barrels day carrying 8 1/2 inch casing.

Spooner No. 1 is down over 4,656 feet, drilling and carrying 6 1/2 inch casing behind the tools. About one million cubic feet per day of gas coming from well which is thought to be still in the Fernie horizon.

The daily production of the leading oil wells in Alberta, is given by Calgary Oil Examiner as follows: McLeod No. 1, 9 barrels; Royallite Nos. 1, 2 and 3 combined, 24 barrels; Edmonton Wainwright, 30; McLeod No. 2, 50; McLeod No. 3, 40; New McDougall-Segur No. 1, 62; Illinois-Alberta No. 1, 86; Home No. 1 (estimated) 100; Vulcan No. 1, 100; Dalhousie No. 5, 250; Devenish (potential production) 250 and Royallite No. 4, 547.

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The test salt well being drilled at McMurray under the direction of the provincial department of railways has reached a depth of over 200 feet, according to the report of engineers in charge of the project. It is estimated that a depth of about 600 feet is necessary before salt will be struck in any quantity and it is the intention to proceed with drilling until the salt vein is reached.

Ilaf E. Larsen of Blackfalds, Alberta, and R. G. Gordon of Victoria, B.C. placed the awards at the International Fox and Fur Exhibition held during the past week at Victoria. This event which was held under the auspices of the Vancouver Island Silver Fox Breeders' Association attracted entries of live animals and pelts from many sections of Canada and United States.

GREAT WHEAT BELT

Yields of From 37 to 60 Bushels Per Acre Are Gotten; New Early Ripening Varieties Being Developed

In response to a long distance telephone call from my brother-in-law, W. J. Evans, of Blackie, Alta., informing me that Rip, the Pointer, was in fine fettle, that the Hungarian partridges were in prime condition and that the big northern ducks had been fattening for weeks on the famous Alberta wheat belt, to say nothing of the geese that were due to appear at any time, I wiped up the old shot gun, packed up boots and other paraphernalia and started soon after for the "great open spaces" of King George's Domain, for a week's holiday as our friends across the line say.

I had visited Alberta on two other occasions, but never before when wheat was in the "stook" and the broad expanse of that famous wheat growing district which lies to the east, north and south of Calgary, alone is worth the effort and expense of travelling seven hundred some miles, for never in the history of the Province has Alberta produced such a rank growth of wheat, while the yield is equal to that of any year in the history of that remarkable Province.

The threshing season is late through out Alberta and Saskatchewan. When I returned October 15, only 15 per cent of the threshing had been completed, and a few fields of wheat had been left standing, waiting for the grain to get in proper condition for the combine, a few of such machines now being in operation in that district.

I talked with scores of farmers and walked through many of the fields where the shocks are so thick that the drivers of bundle wagons often find it difficult to drive between them without knocking them over. Great long heads of wheat are characteristic of practically every field. Yields are running big in spite of some damage by frost. I saw fields that were averaging all the way from 37 to 60 bushels per acre, which is almost unbelievable. The Red Bob and Garnet varieties of wheat predominate. The Garnet is a comparatively new wheat in the Alberta district and farmers declare that they will sow much more of it next season, as it matures in about 100 days, or ten days earlier than the Red Bob.

Farmers in that district are getting rich growing wheat. They diversify but little. Those who have farmed there for 20 years, declare that they have never grown less than 15 bushels, even under the most adverse conditions and if they get less than 30 bushels, they are greatly disappointed. As to the price they receive in Canada, the price is well up with that quoted in the states, and of late years, it has frequently been a little better, though Canadian wheat is graded more closely. A No. 2 Canadian wheat would readily grade No. 1 in the states, so I was informed.

Wheat is produced more cheaply in Alberta than most any other place. Several farmers from the Blackie district were talking and they agreed that they could make money, considering their sure and heavy yields, even though they received only 66 cents a bushel for it.

The soil is very black and the loam is quite deep, sometimes extending to a depth of several feet. Very frequently where clean wheat has been produced, the crop will be followed by wheat stubbled in the following spring and a good crop results. While summer fallowing is the rule, sometimes the land produces such a rank growth of wheat that the farmer deems it inadvisable to summer fallow for two or three years. Oats frequently yields a hundred bushels per acre, and barley is a heavy crop. I saw very little corn and none that one could be proud of. Very little rye is grown as it is less profitable than wheat. I was talking with the Willies brothers of Champion, Alta. They had in 550 acres of wheat and though they had not threshed, they told me they fully expected to market 25,000 bushels. A field of Garnet wheat raised by Dan McNeven 12 miles east of Blackie, averaged 52 bushels and he has saved it all for seed. The wheat, on the 700 acres on the Evans farm is running 37 to 45 bushels per acre. Farmers were not worried at the delay caused by frequent rains and a snow storm, declaring that they had always gotten their crops threshed in time. They will want three weeks of favorable weather to complete their threshing however.

Land around Blackie is held from \$28 an acre up. Occasionally a farm without buildings sells for less and \$40 an acre is not an unusual price to ask. Much of the farming is done with tractors and many trucks are seen on the highways.

On account of the rains, most of the wheat while big and plump is grading tough on account of the moisture content. Proper weather will dry it out if farmers prefer to wait long enough. Some are waiting as there is a difference of 8 cents a bushel between No. 1 and No. 2. Alberta wheat is shipped either to Montreal or to Vancouver, with a trifle advantage in favor of the Vancouver price, considering freight rates. Much of it is ground into flour in Calgary where one of the big mills is located.

It is freely predicted throughout Western Canada that the 1927 crop will exceed that of 1923 which was the record yield of 474,199,000 bushels in that year. The wheat in the whole province in 1916 and this year the average may be as high.

Some interesting facts are gleaned from the report on Agricultural Progress in Canada, issued during the present month by the Canadian government.

There are few stories of achievement so remarkable as the history of wheat production in Canada, with the transformation of the unbroken, unproved plains of the West into a territory known familiarly the world over as the granary of the empire. In 1871, four years after Confederation, before the transcontinental railway line of the Canadian Pacific Railway had opened up to settlement the region which was to become the greatest wheat growing area of the globe, the wheat yield of the Dominion was 16,723,873 bushels. By 1901, thirty years later, the annual crop had become 55,572,278 bushels, an increase of over 230 per cent. Between 1901 and 1926, a momentous quarter of a century,

the yield increased to 407,811,000 bushels, or by over 630 per cent. Some authorities state that the 1927 harvest may add nearly 100,000,000 bushels to the 1926 figure. At all events it will not be long before the 500,000,000 bushel figure is regularly reached in wheat production. Some remarkable yields have already been reported, particularly from the Province of Alberta. One report from Lethbridge points to the setting of a new world record for the production of winter wheat on the Noble farm at Nobleford with Kharkov s.a.m.c., a wheat developed at Macdonald Agricultural College, Quebec.

While but 340 acres of a 1,300 acre field of this wheat had been threshed and weighed when the report was issued, the section threshed yielded at the rate of 57 bushels to the acre. This section was the poorest of the field which set a world record of 52 bushels to the acre in 1916. Indications point to a total crop for the 1,300 acres which will advance considerably the world record for wheat production on a large scale. While higher records of production have frequently been made, exceeding 100 bushels on a single acre, the Noble farm is claimed to have set a world record for a field of its size in 1916.

In spite of the varied manner in which Canada is developing and the many prominent phases of achievement which compel world attention, wheat remains the supreme product of the Dominion, the commodity by which she is best known to the world at large. Wheat is not only the most valuable single item of Canadian production but also of export. In the last twelve months for which complete figures are available Canada sent all over the globe 251,265,788 bushels of wheat worth \$348,237,878, and in addition shipped out 1,595,457 bushels of wheat flour with a value of \$9,247,821 manufactured from her wheat.

Yet although of such transcendent importance, the story of Canadian wheat is but at its opening chapters. A relatively small proportion of the arable land in Western Canada and other sections is yet under cultivation and present production can be very largely expanded. Furthermore the evolution of new and earlier varieties of wheat, which shorten the growing season, are materially adding to the wheat growing acreage of Canada, and steadily pushing the wheat belt further north. Marquis, which was considered sensational when first produced and given to the world, which has been the mainstay of Canadian wheat production and made the Dominion products a standard the world over, now has rivals.

Garnet wheat, which it was claimed would further reduce the growing season by ten days and was first distributed last year, has again given a good account of itself this year according to authoritative report. Garnet wheat was cut two weeks earlier than other varieties in Western Canada this year, and yields of 40 bushels to the acre and over have been reported. The first carload of wheat delivered on Western lines this season was Garnet, furnishing the most conclusive proof of its earlier maturing properties. No claim is made that Garnet will oust Marquis from the place it has long occupied in Western Canadian wheat production, but it is believed there is an important place for this new variety in the Western Canadian industry, especially as settlement penetrates further north into the newer lands. This wheat will take production out of a gamble into a surety in a great area formerly on the fringe of or beyond the accepted wheat belt.

Nor has the limit in this evolution been reached. Something of a further revolution in wheat growing is promised by Herman Trelle, who in 1926 secured the world championship for wheat as well as for oats at the Chicago International Hay and Grain Show. He is stated to be working upon a wheat which can be sown later and yet ripen eighteen days earlier than present varieties. The further effect of this upon wheat growing in Western Canada can be readily imagined.

Another possible development, when growing and ripening periods have been reduced to the minimum, forecast by the Federal Minister of Agriculture, is a wheat with a double chaff to protect the grain against possible early frosts. The Minister, who apparently believes this to be quite within the range of possibility. This would combat summer frosts which occur in certain years and practically render the Western wheat crop immune to such perils. Since summer frosts are said to be more imminent the further north one goes this would be another factor in extending the wheat belt.

It is clear that Western Canada has a yet greater future awaiting her in wheat growing. The development of Marquis wheat effected something of a revolution in Canadian agriculture, and for a long period this variety had been preponderantly the principal crop grown. Other developments are taking place to meet special needs and maintain Canada's supreme place as a wheat producer both as regards volume and quality.

This story is already too long. I wanted to say something about my impressions of the manner in which Canada's liquor laws are working, something about the wonderful city of Calgary, with its 75,000 population a visit to the Park Hill Silver Black Fox farm where 600 valuable foxes are to be found. Some stories of the Prince of Wales, whose ranch is only a few miles from High River, not far from where I visited, but I'll have to postpone this until a future issue. I may even tell about my duck, partridge and goose hunts, though perhaps the readers might take my hunting stories with a grain of salt.—G.D. C.—Minot Independent, Dakota.

The annual meeting of Alberta Wheat Pool delegates from all sections of the province will be held in Calgary on Wednesday, November 23. An invitation has been sent to pool growers in British Columbia to be represented at this gathering in view of the increasing numbers of farmers in the coast province who have allied themselves with the pool. Any resolutions from local associations dealing with the by-laws of the pool headquarters in Calgary not later than November 5.

There are several prominent Republicans who would talk only they do not wish to interrupt Mr. Coolidge.

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high tension line from Calgary to
60000 volts for the purpose of giving
better service to the towns in the
southern division. The temporary
change was made at High River and
Calgary sub station preparatory to
erecting a new sub station at High
River which work is being done this
week. The Company expects this
work to be completed by Sunday No-
vember 12 when another interruption
of about two hours will take place.

We may add to patrons of electric
current that the interruption on Sun-
day last was in accordance with the
agreements with the various towns
and villages that these changes be
made on Sundays or holidays and in
this respect the interruption was of
short duration and during hours that
did not seriously conflict with house-
hold arrangements.

In connection with the schedule of
rates as charged to the citizens of
High River by the Calgary Power Co.
it would appear to The Times that it
would be an advantage for the town
to have a schedule similar to that ap-
plied to other towns, with reference to
the service charge and discount. We
would suggest that the council get in
touch with the Power Company and
have them supply data as to how it
would affect each individual consum-
er. Under the service charge ar-
rangement a very small percentage
would be paying a few cents more per
month than at present but the sav-
ing on all the consumers would be suf-
ficient, we believe to warrant the
adoption of the other schedule.

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ITEMS OF INTEREST

The number of votes For and
Against beer licenses as prepared by
the Returning Officer, was as follows:
For 27; Against 41; Rejected 4.

C. Raby has just bought 17,000
sheep from the Knight Sugar Co., the
deal, involving \$140,000, for the pur-
chase of fine quality Ramboulette—
lambs, yearlings, two, three and four
year old sheep.

The purchase by Hunter Bros. of
Olds of the Reed Ranch Farms, in the
Olds district for \$375,000 was con-
cluded the other day. This block of farms
is recognized as one of the best in the
province. It covers 13,000 acres.

Mr. Nichol who purchased the old H.
H. Holten farm, north of Mazonia now
so long ago, sold the place this week
to a farmer from the Crossfield dis-
trict. The farm consists of 180 acres
of well improved land.

For carrying on business as a ped-
lar, without having the necessary li-
cense, Fred Dunkley of Calgary, was
fined \$5 and costs at Blackie by a local
justice, on October 28. Constable
A. W. Holton, A.P.P. officer at High
River, prosecuted.

J. V. Drumheller of Cayley bought
42 yearling Ramboulette rams from
J. A. Ririe at Magrath last Friday at
\$30 a head. He had also bought 700
head of breeding ewes from the
Knight Sugar company at Raymond. It
is reported that Mr. Drumheller is
going in for sheep raising more ex-
tensively and working out of the cattle
business.—Nanton News.

The last herds of wild elk in the
province which have found sanctuary
in the valley of the Rib Bravau River,
after being practically exterminated
in other parts of Alberta, are
now rapidly increasing and spreading
northward, according to reports from
that district. Several large bands
have been seen, and the animals ap-
pear to be doing well in their new
home which is considerably farther
north than their usual habitat.

English financiers and statesmen
are usually good bridge players. The
better ordered life of the Englishman
provides ample time for studying the
game. Rt. Hon. Reginald McKenna,
who has been in Canada recently, is
a particularly keen player as some
Canadians who came over on the boat
with him now know. McKenna heads
the world's largest bank yet he usually
finds time to drop into his club be-
tween office and home for a rubber of
bridge.

Pool marketing must be given cred-
it for developing a better feeling
among farmers. Pool selling may be
criticized or even condemned, but the
fact cannot be denied that the Pools
have greatly improved the morale, so
to speak, of Western farmers. The
Pools are giving thousands of farm-
ers an insight into big business and
are making better business men of
their members. The Pools too, have
had an inspirational influence on their
members the importance of which is
not to be overlooked or underestimated.
They have given new courage to
thousands of farmers and farm wom-
en.—Nor-West Farmer.

In an exchange we read of a gentle-
man of 86 who was slightly injured in
an automobile accident. It appears
that the gentleman was driving a fast
roadster, and was, at the time of the
accident, racing with some lady in a
big touring car. No one was badly
hurt and to say that there is no fool
like an old fool, and that a man of 86
might well be thinking of the future
life rather than burning up the high-
way in a race with a bunch of boys,
but think of the eternal youthfulness
of that old fellow! Wouldn't you think
a man of 86 with pep enough to en-
gage in an automobile race, take his
bumps without complaining; and
come back smiling the next day,
would be worth knowing.

The motto that vigilance is the
price of safety is more than ever em-
phasized just now in the disastrous
prairie fires which have taken place,
notably the one at Lomond. Eternal
vigilance, when it comes to lighting
fires on the prairies, should be the
watchword of every farmer, not only
in his own interests but in those of
his neighbors. Very good advice is
to consult the nearest A. P. P. con-
stable before lighting a fire, says the
Lethbridge Herald. Just now the
prairies, with the dry weather we
have been having, are so much tinder,
and it is no knowing to what extent
a small fire will spread should it get
out of hand with the wind. To de-
stroy men's care and labor in raising
a crop and building up a farm by
man's carelessness is a tragedy, par-
ticularly in the case of those who have
waited for such crops as this season
has brought forth. In the state of the
prairie at the present time and with
what it will result in, as the expe-
rience of fires that have occurred show,
it is criminal carelessness of the
worst kind to light a fire without tak-
ing the utmost precautions against its
spreading. To watch vigilantly so
that it will have not the chance to get
out of hand and out of bounds is a
paramount individual duty. Mean-
while it is satisfactory to learn that
as long as present weather prevails,
the air force at High River, will con-
tinue to operate and keep guard over
the forests and prairie areas.

ITEMS OF INTEREST

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thing in this store fresh except the
clerks."—Lo Fleche Press.

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Limited" is the name of a new cor-
poration with head offices at Nanton,
Alberta.

A White Leghorn hen belonging to
the University of B.C. was sold recent-
ly for \$500. Last year she laid 335
eggs in 365 days.

George D. Pope, former Conserva-
tive member in the Prince Edward
Island legislature and son of the late
Hon. James C. Pope, a member of Sir
John A. Macdonald's cabinet, died
suddenly at Summerside, P.E.I.

Norman S. Rankin who has been so
long connected with the C.P.R. Nat-
ural Resources department at Calgary
and latterly served with that depart-
ment at Montreal, died recently after
an illness caused by pneumonia. Mr.
Rankin was a voluminous author,
having contributed to a large number
of papers and magazine short stories
and informative articles along the
lines of the material with which he
was acquainted. The deceased was for
many years a resident of Calgary
and of late years has been editor of a
C.P.R. publication entitled Agricultural
and Industrial Progress of Canada.

The result of the Railways Com-
mission's decision that Crow's Nest rates
are applicable on all railways through-
out the prairies has brought consid-
erable benefit to grain growers, more
particularly in the northern parts of
the provinces. At a few points in
Manitoba there has been an increase
in the freight rate on grain and at
a few other points have been reduced.
In the northern parts of Saskatchewan
and Alberta the reduction varies
from one cent to four cents per hun-
dred pounds, which works out at from
\$8.00 to \$32 per 8,000-pound car. This
is a reduction that is well worth
while.—Grain Growers Guide.

Rt. Hon. the Earl of Cassilis, an-
Countess Cassilis, who are making a
tour of Canada arrived in High River
Wednesday morning and left by motor
to the Hulme ranch where they will
spend a few days the guest of Miss
Shakerley. His Lordship is first
grand principal of the Supreme
Grand Chapter of Royal Arch Masons
of Scotland and has just returned
from a convocation of the General
Grand Chapter of the United States
held recently at Denver, Colorado. He
has made numerous trips around the
world in the interests of the Masonic
order, and has been cordially received
at various points along the line of
travel.

EASTWAY NEWS

The Eastway Women's Institute
held a dance on Friday, October 23
and raffled off a quilt, the winner be-
ing Mrs. Tom Bolt. They will hold
another dance on November 11 in the
Union Jack school.

Miss Holmes the Eastway teacher,
gave a recital at the Eastway school
last Friday.

QUALITY FURS

We carry the largest and finest
range of FURS in Western
Canada.

KRAFT The Furrier
Corner 12th Avenue and 1st St. West
CALGARY, Alta. (Established 1908)

BRANT NEWS

Mrs. B. M. Keely is now visiting
with friends at Champion.

Mr. Forbes, local Massey-Harris
agent, has purchased a new Nash sed-
an car.

Two new gas stations have been in-
stalled by P. A. St. Amour and H. A.
MacNeil.

Miss K. Kain of our local school
staff has resumed her duties after a
slight illness.

About 5,000 tons of Western Cana-
dian flour will be shipped this month
for the Orient.

Miss Alice Hungerbuhler left last
week for Calgary where she will at-
tend high school.

M. Kenney, agent for British Amer-
ican Oil Co., was a business visitor in
town on Tuesday.

The Calgary Power men have re-
turned to town to complete the line
work on the rural lines.

Mrs. K. A. MacLean is now conval-
escing after a serious appendicitis op-
eration and is staying with her par-
ents Mr. and Mrs. Richmond.

Threshing operations are in full
swing in this district. It has been es-
timated that over 70 per cent. of the
threshing has been completed.

Mrs. Tennant and son, Barney, of
Milk River, also Mr. and Mrs. Patrick
Buckley of Sweet Grass, were visitors
at the home of Mrs. O'Connell.

HOCKEY MEETING

The annual meeting of the Alberta
Amateur Hockey Association will be
held in the Palliser Hotel Sun Room
on Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m., No-
vember 5. At this meeting there will
be elected officers for the season of 1927-28.
One of the main items to be discus-
sed will be in connection with the
"Whitewash" of several professionals.
Another important matter to be de-
termined will be the setting of the
residence rule date for Alberta. V.C.
W. Stanley, who represented the Al-
berta Association at the Canadian
Amateur Hockey Association meeting
at Vancouver, last March will give a
report of that meeting. High River
will be represented by Messrs. V. C.
W. Stanley and Charles Arnold and
Vulcan will be represented by Messrs.
McGregor and McKinnon. In this
connection it might be mentioned that
Nanton has decided to play interme-
diate hockey and with the fine new
rink they are to have in that town and
the team which they now have the
club will make a valuable addition to
the Wheat Belt League. Claresholm
Granum, Staveland and Macleod formed
the Foothill Association.

FOR SALE

ESSEX COACH—Late 1926 model, on-
ly done 6000 miles, perfect condition,
bumpers back and front, windshield
wiper, road light, spare tire, shutter.
Bargain at \$800. \$175 cash, \$55 per
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vocate, Vulcan, Alberta. Oct2113p

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and Mattresses. Apply Imperial Ho-
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LAND—Grand Prairie lands for sale. If
interested write D. W. Pratt, Grand
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Address enquiries to Box 274, Vulcan.
Aug201fc

THRESHING OUTFIT—Rumely Oil-
Pull Engine 30-60; Advance Separa-
tor 32 inch; Case Gas Engine 20-40;
Rumely Separator 28 inch; American
Abel Steam Engine, 25-h.p.; Cook
Car, Bunk Car and Bundle Racks.
This equipment will be sold separately
or together, or will be loaned to re-
sponsible parties. E. M. Hollister, Vul-
can. Oct211fc

RAMS—Hampshire Rams, thorough-
bred, and if desired papers will be
furnished with animals sold. C. E.
Dovey, Phone 1944; Vulcan. Nov41fc

ESTRAY

HORSES—Lost or strayed from premises
of Guy Pleasants, Lake McGregor, one
Black Mare, seven years old, branded
left hip; one Bay Filly, three
years old, same brand; Bay
Filly and Gelding, two years
old, and yearling Filly, white face and
white spot on legs. Reward will be
paid for information leading to the re-
covery of animals. Robert Wilson,
Vulcan, Alberta. Nov41fc

FOUND

DOG—Gordon Setter Pup, shows signs
of good care. Owner may have infor-
mation necessary to recovery on en-
quiry at the office of The Advocate,
Vulcan.

NOTICE OF SALE

Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities)

Notice is hereby given under Section
18 of The Domestic Animals Act (Mun-
icipalities), that the following described
animal was impounded in a pound
kept by M. P. Marshall, located on the
S.W. quarter Section 4, Township 19,
Range 23, W.4, on the 10th day of Oc-
tober, 1927, and that the said animal
were sold on the 22nd day of October,
1927.

One Bay Gelding, aged, no visible
brand; sold to John Lynch of Vulcan.
One Bay Filly, two years old, white
strip on face, no visible brand; sold to
John Lynch of Vulcan.

And that the said animals may be
redeemed by the owners or on their
behalf within a period of thirty days
from the publication of this notice in
The Alberta Gazette, upon payment of
all fees and costs due the municipality
and the purchasers of said animal.

For information apply to the under-
signed.

J. K. McLEAN,
Secretary-Treasurer of Municipal District
of Marquis, No. 157,
Vulcan, Alberta.

Prices Mean Something Here**BOYS' Winter Overcoats****and Mackinaws**

Boys' Overcoats, size 26 to 28, good heavy quality, pure wool,
extra heavy lined, full belted, raglan style, dark heath
material, Price\$11.50

Boys' Overcoats, size 29 to 34, same as above, at\$13.00

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Mackinaws, good heavy quality, assorted pattern, at\$5.00

Women's Orthophoedic Shoes

This is a new line just placed into Stock—This Shoe has a Built
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medium heel at \$6.50 pair. Strap Slippers at \$6.00 pr.

Some Snaps in Women's and Children's Sweaters

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VULCAN

Auspices Vulcan Branch, Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L.

BOXING MATCH

Municipal Arena
Vulcan, Saturday November 12

For Welterweight Championship and Buxton Belt

MAIN EVENT—10 ROUNDS

Basil Daines and Joe Murphy
[Holder] [Challenger]

Billy Trevenon and Earl Altizer
Also Two Other Fast Preliminaries Between Local Boys

Tickets from Members of Canadian Legion, Vulcan.

Everyone Come and See the Best Fight Card
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Proceeds in Aid of Memorial Hall Fund

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60 Beautiful Coats to Select from at from 10 to 40% Discount
EVERY COAT IN THE STORE ON SALE.

Crushed Plush, Fur Fabrics, Velours, etc., Fur Collars
Fur Fabric and Crushed Plush Coats with Beautiful Long Shawl Collars. all at
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Few \$27.50 Coats, \$17.40 - Few \$35.00 Coats, \$21.00
Two only Mink Marmot Fur Coats, Regular \$195.00, Sale Price... \$145.00.

30 Beautiful Dresses on Sale **Serge and Tricotine**
A Rack Full in Silk, Sport Cloth Dresses,
etc. In this line are Dresses up to \$25.00. **Dresses**
Your Choice: \$14.75. About 1 dozen Snappy styles, small
styles, Sale price \$9.75.

Sale Opens Saturday Morning, November 5

Continues until further notice. Come any day. A late season makes
it necessary to slaughter the Stock. These prices are Strictly Cash.

Four Yard Wide Linoleum—Congoleum and Linoleum Rugs—Now is the time to
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VULCAN, ALBERTA

**BASIL DAINES**

Welterweight Champion and Holder of the Buxton Belt, emblematic
of the championship of Western Canada, who will defend his title
against Joe Murphy, in a 10 round bout in the Vulcan Skating Rink,
on Saturday, November 12th. Auspices of the Canadian Legion.